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Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Group Art Unit 2722, Expedited Procedure

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
DON HIDEYASU MATSUBAYASHI, et al.)
Application No.: 09/919,729)
Filed: August 1, 2001)
For: FLEXIBLE SECURE NETWORK)
DATA TRANSFER AND)
MESSAGING) October 27, 2005

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

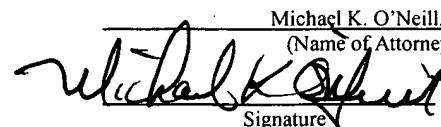
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 27, 2005 for one month, from September 27, 2005 to October 27, 2005.

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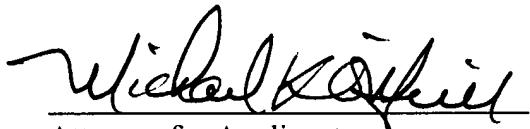
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Submitted herewith is a check for \$120.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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